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In re Patent Application of)	MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL
Tsunenori ARAI et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3739
Application No.: 10/560,821)	Examiner: Johnson III, Henry M
Filed: December 15, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 9015
For: PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY EQUIPMENT, METHOD FOR CONTROLLING PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY EQUIPMENT AND METHOD OF PHOTODYNAMIC THERAPY))))	

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On September 22, 2009, Applicants' undersigned representative conducted a telephonic interview with the Examiner, in connection with the above-identified application. An Interview Summary related to the interview was mailed on September 25, 2009.

During the interview, Applicants' representative indicated that Applicants would like to conduct an interview with the Examiner in order to discuss the outstanding substantive issues in the application. The Examiner stated that a more thorough understanding of the desired meaning of the claim language was necessary before a substantive interview would be considered.

Should the Office disagree with Applicants' assessment, as articulated above, the Office is invited to clarify the record in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

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